

Commission on the Improvement of the Status of Children in Indiana
Education Task Force
November 7, 2014
Indiana Government Center South, Conference Rooms 4 + 5
10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Agenda:

Welcome

Approve the minutes from the Education Task Force Meeting held September 5, 2014.

Presentations (aligned to the following federal objective: *“Formal processes and procedures-through statute, memoranda of understanding, and practice-that ensure successful, navigable transitions across multiple child-serving systems, and smooth reentry into communities”*

1. Hamilton County Superior Court Judge Steve Nation: Youth Assistance Program
2. Dr. Jeff Pittman, Vice President, Corporate College, Ivy Tech: Mentoring Pilot
3. Dr. William Wooten, Davi Stein-Kiley, and Parri Black: Youth First

Updates:

1. OJJDP award: Establishing Comprehensive Juvenile Reentry Systems Reform
2. Indiana Juvenile Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Project
3. “Check and Connect”: Truancy Programming (funded by Bloomington Chamber of Commerce)
4. Funding
5. Report from Federal Advisory Committee on Juvenile Justice

Questions and Comments:

1. Is there a way we can reward schools for their work with “marginalized kids”?
2. How many removals based on “zero tolerance” laws are discretionary?
3. Do we have data on juvenile court referrals originating in schools?
4. How might we measure outcomes associated with student well-being?
5. How do kids with DWD referrals get connected after they have finished placement in a group home?